

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 501

Introduced by Assembly Member La Malfa

February 16, 2005

An act to add Section 10916 to the Water Code, relating to water.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 501, as introduced, La Malfa. Water supply assessments.

Existing law requires a city or county that determines a project is subject to the California Environmental Quality Act to identify any public water system that may supply water for the project and to request those public water systems to prepare a specified water supply assessment, except as otherwise specified.

This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation by revising existing provisions of law relating to water supply planning to require a city or county that undertakes an environmental restoration project, wildlife restoration project, or conservation easement transfer, to identify any public water system that is, or may become a supplier of water for that project, and to determine if the water requirements of the project are included as part of a specified urban water management plan.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 10916 is added to the Water Code, to
- 2 read:
- 3 10916. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation by
- 4 revising this part to require a city or county that undertakes an

1 environmental restoration project, wildlife restoration project, or
2 conservation easement transfer, to identify any public water
3 system that is, or may become a supplier of water for that project,
4 and to determine if the water requirements of the project are
5 included as part of the most recently adopted urban water
6 management plan adopted by a water supplier pursuant to Part
7 2.6 (commencing with Section 10610).

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